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USUN FOR GOVERNOR SCRANTON FROM BOWDLER

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OVIP, SF, US  
SUBJECT: VISIT OF JOSEPH RHODES TO SOUTH AFRICA

REF: USUN 5432

1. I TALKED TO FRANK WISNER LAST SEPTEMBER ABOUT MR. RHODES  
VISIT AND LOOK FORWARD TO HIS ARRIVAL. HE WILL HAVE OUR  
FULL SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE DURING HIS STAY HERE.

2. WE HAVE STARTED IN-HOUSE PREPARATIONS FOR THE VISIT. WITH  
REFERENCE TO SCHEDULE OUTLINED IN REFTEL, WOULD APPRECIATE  
KNOWING WHETHER MR. RHODES WANTS US TO DEVELOP FULL PROGRAM  
FOR HIM OR WHETHER HE PREFERS TO MAKE HIS OWN DETAILED PRO-  
GRAM OF INDIVIDUAL CONTACTS AFTER HE ARRIVES. WE WILL HAVE,  
BY THE TIME HE GETS HERE, NAMES, ADDRESSES, AND TELEPHONE  
NUMBERS OF ALL BLACK, COLORED, AND INDIAN LEADERS WITH WHOM  
MISSION IS IN CONTACT.

3. REFTEL SPEAKS OF BLACK AND COLORED LEADERS. DOES THIS  
MEAN THAT INDIANS ARE NOT TO BE INCLUDED? I STRONGLY  
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RECOMMEND THAT ALL THREE GROUPS BE COVERED.

4. WOULD APPRECIATE GUIDANCE ON DEGREE OF ADMINISTRATIVE  
SUPPORT WE SHOULD PROVIDE (E.G., LOCAL TRANSPORTATION, AIRLINE  
AND HOTEL RESERVATIONS, ETC.).  
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